

# ETPL Search Conversion to ProPath

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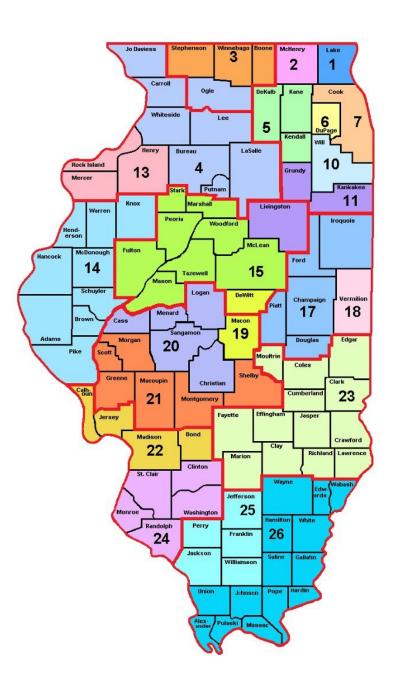


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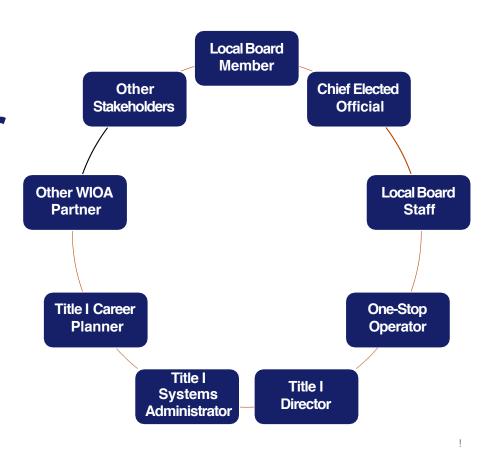


# Where is Your Local Area?





# What is Your Role in the WIOA System?





# **Agenda**

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- What is Propath?
- Comparison Demonstration
- Next Steps



### What is ProPath?

### ProPath search tool allows users to:

- Search for approved training programs by:
  - Learning Opportunities (Training Programs)
  - Organization (Training Providers)
  - Credentials
- Filter to narrow results by:
  - LWIA or Location
  - Occupations (SOC Code)
  - Instructional Program (CIP Codes)
  - Learning Delivery Types, and much more
- Find programs using map view
- View High level information without going into details (i.e., costs, time, learning method, etc.)
- View details for program/provider information
- Compare programs using the comparison tool

ProPath is powered by the Credential Finder/Credential Registry which allows for expanding the use of program, credential, and outcome related data in future developments.



### Why use ProPath framework?

- Identify critical information gaps systematically
- Assist in the development of the IEP/ISS using assessment results (interests, suitability for career/training, etc.) to ensure that employment goals are part of career pathways, setting goals and objectives, etc.
- Address limitations in available information and data for postsecondary education and workforce training opportunities
- Provide more up-to-date ("real time") information from training providers and for training programs
- Implement administrative data system improvements and understanding of program outcomes<sup>1</sup>
- Capture information most appropriate to educational and career pathway decision-making
- Address USDOL monitoring findings related to a statewide ETPL list, highlight various methods of instruction by providers, and improved access to support improved consumer choice to training provider and training program information.

<sup>1</sup>Future updates will address program outcomes as agency partners continue to develop methodology to capture necessary and appropriate outcome data and information



# **New Terminology**

**Learning Opportunities**: Replaces "Training Programs"

**Organizations:** Replaces "Training Providers"

Credential Finder: A new tool for exploring all the information published to the Credential Registry.



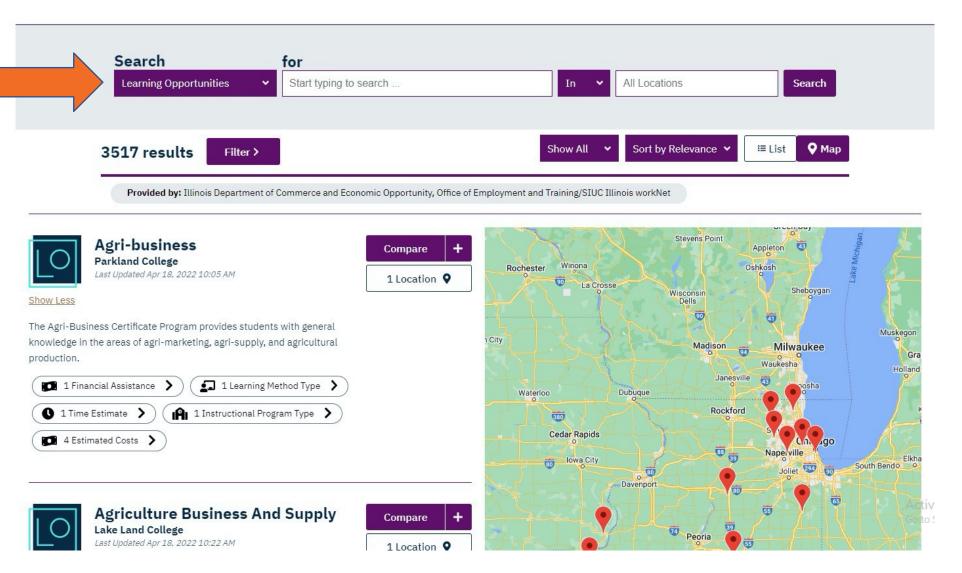
# Demonstration: Let's Compare Current to Future

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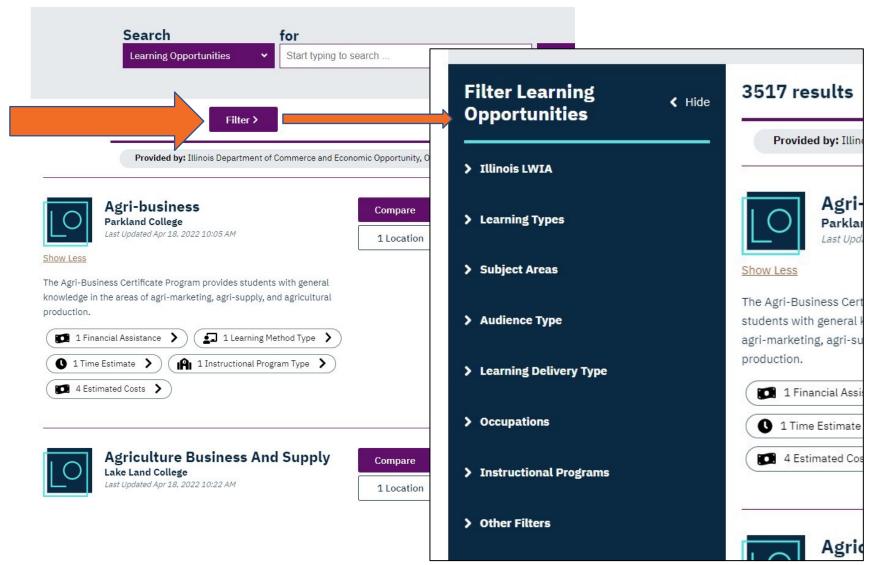
# **Search Option Highlights**

- Learning Opportunities (Training Programs)
- Organization (Training Providers)
- Credentials
- Location (In/Near)





### Filter Option Highlights

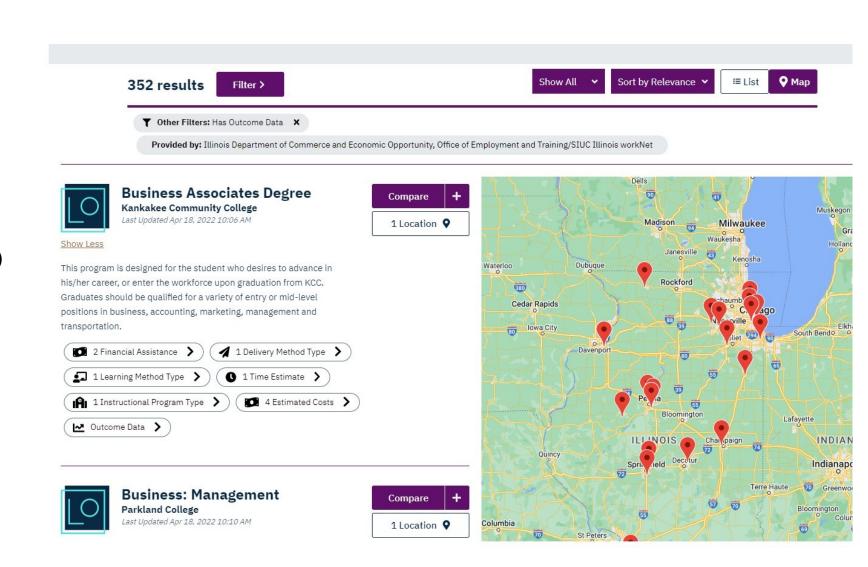


- LWIA
- Learning Delivery Types
  - Blended Delivery
  - In-Person
  - Online Only
- Occupations
  - Search by SOC Code
- Instructional Program
  - Search by CIP Code
- Other Filters
  - Has Cost
  - Has duration
  - Has Outcome Data



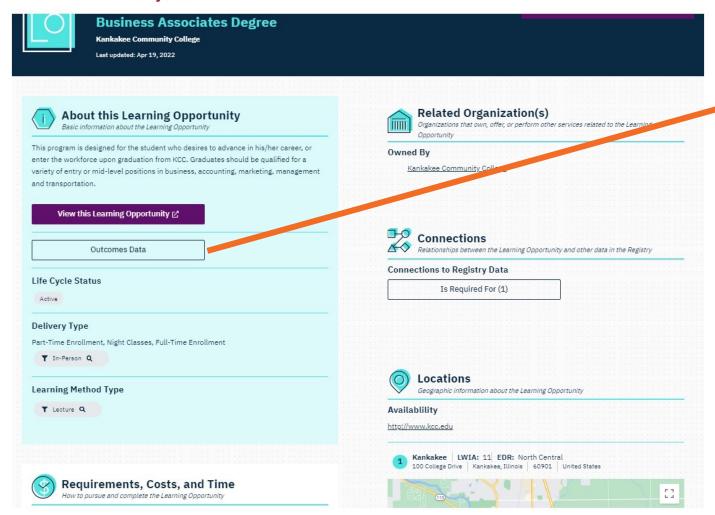
# Search Results Display & Features

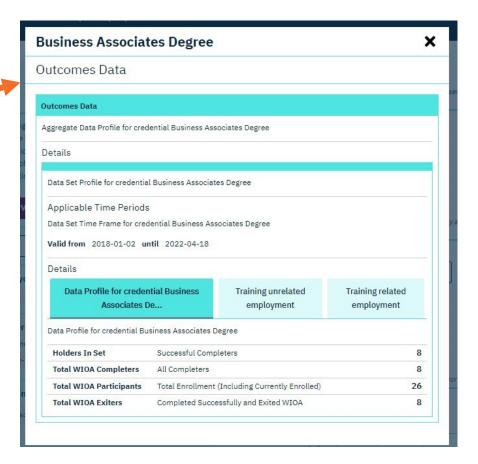
- View
  - List
  - Map
- Sort
  - Relevance
  - Most/Least Recent
  - A-Z or Z-A
- Show
  - All (Both descriptions and buttons)
  - Descriptions Only
  - Buttons Only
- Select Button "Pill" to view high-level information. Select the high-level information pill for more details.
- Select the Program Name to access a details page.
- Select Compare to compare programs.





### **Example Details Page**







### **Next Steps**

### Soft Launch Starting April 2022

- Provide access to the new search tools and feedback collection tool
- Conduct Multiple User Groups
  - Career Planners/Case Managers
  - Participants
- Compile Results
- Implement Enhancements
- Integrate with other Illinois workNet tools